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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor: Gerald L. Taylor

For: A METHOD AND PROCESS FOR PROVIDING POSTAL DISCOUNTING

Enclosed are:

15 pages comprising the specification, claims, and abstract.

3 sheets of drawings.

A Declaration and Power of Attorney.

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A Recordation of Assignment Request and an Assignment of the invention to Pitney Bowes Inc.,
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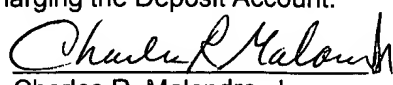
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